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LEONARD'S SECRETARY FACES CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER.

He Is Out on \$10,000 Ball-Grand Jury to Tell if His Negligence Was So Gross as to Make Him Guilty of Involuntary Manslaughter, Prosecutor Says.

MONTCLAIR, N. J., Sept. 17 .- Late this afternoon the police got information in the case of Walter C. Phillips of New York, who was held in \$10,000 bail to-day on the ered the water supply of many villages charge of manslaughter in connection in Oneida and neighboring counties, and Leonard, the retired iron merchant, that may play an important part in establishing the innocence of Mr. Phillips, who declares that the killing was due to the aecidental discharge of a revolver which he found in the street.

It is said that early yesterday morning there was a disturbance among several Italians near where Mr. Phillips said he found the revolver. One of the men flourished a revolver, it is said, but tossed it away when pursued by his antagonists. If this story be true and the man who owned the revolver can be found it may aid in the defence of the prisoner. Albert Bezan of Bloomfield has told the authorities that Mr. Phillips showed a revolver to him yesterday morning while Mr. Phillips was on his way to Mr. Leonard's house, and told him he had found it near Rezen's home.

County Prosecutor Mott examined Mr Phillips in his office at Newark to-day, and after hearing the story of the shooting directed that the prisoner be held for the Grand Jury on a charge of manslaughter. Bail was furnished at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Phillips was taken from Newark to Montclair, where he spent Wednesday night in custody of the police, by Chief of Police Gallagher. Every consideration was shown to the prisoner by the local police, who feel that Mr. Leonard's private secretary has been the innocent victim of cirtances. County Prosecutor Mott takes somewhat the same view. In regard to his action in holding Mr. Phillips he said:

"Mr. Phillips told a story at the examina tion which had the appearance of truth and which has not been contradicted by any evidence in our possession. On his own story, however, his conduct was so negligent that I feel it my duty to submit to the Grand Jury the question of whether his negligence was so gross as to make him guilty of involuntary manelaughter. Knowing that Mr. Leonard was old, feeble and in ill health, Phillips was careless in presenting the gun to him. I have directed that the charge of manelaughter and that

directed that the charge of mansiaughter be made against the prisoner and that he be committed to jail for the present. Bail will be accepted, however."

County Physician Elliott and Chief of Police Gallagher were present at the examination of the prisoner, who re-peated to Mr. Mott the story he had told

Mr. Phillips is an elder in the Thirty-Mr. Phillips is an elder in the Thirtyfourth Street Collegiate Church of New
York city, and the Rev. Robert W. Courtney, pastor of that church, talked with
the prisoner at the county court house
to-day. Mr. Courtney said he had known
Phillips a long time and that he would
get bail for him.

"Mr. Leonard and Mr. Phillips were
like brothers," said the minister. "Mr.
Phillips looked after the dead man's
business to such an extent that for
fifteen years it had not been necessary
for Mr. Leonard to come to New York."

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Phillips has been in the employ Leonard for the last twenty-seven The business in which both men years. The business in which both man were interested was a scrap iron place on Avenue A in New York. The books of this concern and other private accounts kept by Mr. Phillips have been scrutinized by the authorities, but nothing has been found to show that there was any reason why Mr. Phillips should have sought to take the life of his aged employer. The take the life of his aged employer. The complete absence of any motive for crime leads the local authorities to believe that the severest charge that can be made against Mr. Phillips is that he acted with

to handling firearms.

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NO PRIVILEGES FOR THAW. bark and taken to Liverpool.

Westchester Sheriff Says He Must Obey Jail Rules "the Same as Any Poor Man." WHITE PLAINS, Sept. 17.—Sheriff Charles M. Lane returned to White Plains to-day from Saratoga, where he attended the

Republican. State convention, and he immediately issued orders that Harry K. Thaw while in the White Plains jail shall be treated the same as any other prisoner. He decided not to allow any newspaper man to see Thaw and only relatives and his counsel will be admitted to his cell. His relatives will be shown to his cell only on visiting days. His counsel, Charles Morschauser of Poughkeepsie, will be admitted to see Thaw at dishring salt water, which only aggrato his cell only on visiting days. His counsel, Charles Morschauser of Pough-keepsie, will be admitted to see Thaw at

For some time Thaw has been posing in the limelight, in fact he has been made a here, said Sheriff Lane. "He is now in my custody in the White Plains jail and he will have to abide by the rules of that jail, the same as any other prisoner. There will be no more excursions unless the Court directs that he be taken

"He is now occupying a room in the spital section of the jail and receives no more favors than any other prisoner.

Because Thaw may have a lot of money, that will have no effect on me while he is in the White Plains jail. He will have to obey the rules of the jail the same as

DONNA SEYMOUR GOT HIS CASH. So Says a Man Ambitious to Be a Theatri-

cal Company's Treasurer. Detectives Price and Boyle yesterday morning arrested Donna Seymour, who

describes herself as an actress and gives her address as the Hotel Gerard, on the charge of obtaining money under false pretences from Eugene Grandsaull of 258 West Twenty-third street. Grand-saull said that he answered a newspaper saull said that he answered a newspaper advertisement asking for a treasurer for a theatrical company who had \$300 to give as security and that he met Mrs. Seymour. After receiving his money she told him, he alleges, that he was hired as treasurer of a musical comedy. "The Hall Room Boys." He paid his money Saturday, he says, and now finds that he can neither get his job nor recover his money.

cover his money.

The detectives said that the Seymour woman was arrested on a similar charge last March. Magistrate Cornell held her in \$1,500 bail for examination Monday.

Boom in the Sweater Industry.

Reports daily being received from various sections of the country indicate unusually big business in the sweater trade. Leading metropolitan manufacturers are declining orders for deliveries prior to the first of the year because the there being no holdover goods for the holiseason. The prevailing popularity

PHILLIPS HELD FOR KILLING THE DROUGHT UP THE STATE. Pasture Lands Barren, Crops Destroyed

> UTICA. Sept 17.-Less than an inch of rain has fallen in this vicinity during the month of September, according to the records, which show that the rainfall of the present year is the lowest since 1900. The figures available are of course not strictly applicable to all sections in this vicinity, but they furnish an illustration as to why the pasture lands of Oneida county are barren and the crops practically destroyed. The drought has lowlimit the use of water to such bare sup-

The knitting mill in Waterville was compelled to shut down some time ago because of a low water supply. The ompelled to shut down some time ago because of a low water supply. The supply continued to decrease in that village, however, and a few days ago the trustees were obliged to cut off the water supply of the entire village in order to save sufficient for fire protection. Sherbourne had to stop sprinkling its streets because of its low water supply. So did Frankfort, Oxford and other places adjacent to Utica. The reservoirs of many other villages have net sufficient water at the present time to supply pressure enough to fight a good fire.

The rainfall in many parts of the county outside of Utica has not been so heavy this summer as in the vicinity of the city. The town of Paris has not had a rainfall in three months. Cisterns and wells are empty in many places and farmers are compelled to draw water to their cattle. The situation is rapidly becoming desperate, at least in so far as the farmers are concerned, and unless a protracted rain sets in shortly the losses will cripple many financially.

Mr. Watts, who has his opinion of religious exercises and keeps his own oounsel, sends two daughters to the River Edge school. One is 7 the other 11 years old. When the board authorized opening exercises consisting of reading from the Bibls and the repeating of the Lord's of the principal for his children to remain in the classroom while the exercises were going on in the assembly room.

It is said that the envy of other children and the consequent growth of absenteeism at prayers caused the practice of the Watts children to be brought to the notice of the board. Mr. Watts then had to face the alternatives of compulsiory attendance the eleventees or the exclusion of his children from school.

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FIRES AT STATE HOSPITAL.

Fresident Ferris Admits One at the Gowanda and at the St. Lawrence.

ALBANY, Sept. 17.—The partial destruction by fire of a private asylum for the insue on Long Island Wednesday night with the successful removal of more than ninety patients without injury by nurses and attendants called out a statement to-day from Dr. Albert W. Ferris, president of the State Lunacy Commission, who admitted that on September 10 there had been a fire in the Gowanda State Homospathic Hospital under two wards filled with patients and one on September 13, consuming the piggery at the St. Lawrence State Hospital at Ogdensburg. In each case prompt and efficient action by the fire companies connected with the hospitals resulted in saving patients from any injury whatever and the fires caused comparatively small damage to the State.

"At each of our State hospitals for the State in maintained, consisting of a fire chief, who generally has no other duties, and several attendants or other employees, who are assisted in some cases by some consecses of the school, if such exercises of the school, if such care in the control of the confidence of pupils at opening exercises of the school, if such exer

chief, who generally has no other duties, and several attendants or other employees. chief, who generally has no other duttee, and several attendants or other employees, who are assisted in some cases by some of the patients. Fire drills are held from time to time at irregular intervals and on unexpected occasions so that constant alertness is preserved. Besides this, whenever possible during the proper seasons of the year fire escapes are used by patients in going to and from day rooms and dormitories so that they may become accustomed to the use of these safeguards and an order to proceed out of the building by means of fire escapes will be obeyed by the patients without the hesitation from unusual experience.

"The increase of the total number of patients in the hospitals has been very great during the fiscal year just closing, and the necessity of another hospital for the insane near New York city is absolutely imperative. Meanwhile precautions against fire have been taken and appliances have been multiplied in all the additions to existing hospitals lately erected."

RESCUED IN MIDOCEAN. Gloucester Fisherman, Given Up for Loss on July 22, Returns Alive.

BOSTON, Sept. 17 .- Soon after the arrival of the steamship Saxonia this morn-Frost, a Gloucester fisherman, who was given up for lost on July 22, learned that The arrangements for the funeral of he was alive. After being adrift in a Mr. Leonard have not been completed. dory for ten days without food or water, Interment, however, will be made in and undergoing sufferings and exposure and undergoing sufferings and exposure which drove him temporarily insane, Frost was picked up by a Norwegian

On July 22 Frost put out in his dory from the Gloucester fishing schoone Alice R. Lawson. Fog shut in and he was unable to make the schooner. He had put out from the schooner with only two or three biscuits. He had no water for the whole ten days. He made the

drinking salt water, which only aggra-vated his thirst. This continued for three days, during which he was alternately out of his senses and rational. The fight out of his senses and rational. The fight had come to be a matter of a few more hours, when the Norwegian bark Nor-manvick hove in sight. Her crew sighted the dory and made for the castaway.

INTEND TO SNUB GOMPERS.

Some of the Unions Won't Send Delegates to Workingmen's State Convention. Herman Robinson, financial secretary of the Central Federated Union, who with a delegation of labor men saw some of the street Democratic leaders in Rochester on Monday, returned to this city yesterday. The report was that heasked Chairman Conners that the name of John S. Whalen be put on the ticket, the delegation stating that labor would likely bolt the ticket if this was not done.

Robinson said that the convention of sympathy with the programme of Gom-pers and will not respond. There are fifteen locals in vistrict No. 15 of the In-ternational association of Machinists, and none of them will send a delegate.

NO COASTERS LIKE OURS.

from a trip in France, England, Germany and Holland, made a study of the coastcapacities of their plants are sold up until that date. Producers say that the exceptional activity at this time is largely due to the fact that merchants as a general and were not so well equipped either for rule held back ordering lines until much later than in other years, and state that the present rush is also attributable to the deaned out condition of retail stocks, with the vessels of the Clyde, Mallory, Morgan and Savannah lines. The service wise steamship service of those countries. He said yesterday that most of the European steamships were sidewheelers and were not so well equipped either for safety or comfort as the American boats, which were ahead of the world. There was nothing on the other side to compare with the vessels of the Clyde, Mallory, Morgan and Savannah lines. The service on the foreign boats was also not up to date. In the matter of docks the English were ahead of us.

DEVOTIONS IN THE SCHOOLS

ATTENDANCE AT THEM NOT COM-PULSORY IN NEW JERSEY.

River Edge Man, After Keeping His Two Daughters Away From Religious Ex-ercises, Gets a Ruling From the State Department of Education.

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 17 .- A ruling has een made by the Department of Education of New Jersey that the attendance of pupils at religious exercises in public schools must be entirely voluntary. This with the shooting of his employer, John in some places it has been necessary to ruling is the outcome of a six months controversy between Arthur Watts of Alies as are required for cooking, drink- River Edge, N. J., and the school board of Riverside borough.

Mr. Watts, who has his opinion of re-

school.

"The attendance of pupils at opening exercises of the school, if such exercise consist of reading the Bible and repeating the Lord's Prayer, must be entirely

FRED YUENGLING IN COURT. Held for Examination Regarding Unpaid Automobile Bills.

Frederick D. Yuengling, who says that ne is 42 years old and lives at New Rochelle, was in the West Side Court yesterday afternoon charged with failing to pay an attomobile bill of \$17.50 which he owed the Thomas Automobile Company. Yuengling is the son of the brewer. Robert Frockenbrodt of 43 East Ninety-fifth street, a chausteur for the Thomas company, was the complainant against Yuengling. He produced a draft for \$120 on the Green Lumber Company which he said Yuengling had given the Thomas people as payment for two days hire of an automobile. This draft, the driver said, was not honored by the Green Lumber Company. Yuengling os me around again yesterday and hired an auto, promising to pay cash.

Atter he had had the car three and a half hours, Frockenbrodt said, he dismissed it but did not pay. He made an althorst explanation of why he had no every series and lebrost explanation of why he had no every explanation of why he had no every every explanation of why he had no every every explanation of why he had no every every every explanation of why he had no every Rochelle, was in the West Side Court nissed it but did not pay. He made an elaborate explanation of why he had no

Policeman Leonard from the West Policeman Leonard from the West Sixty-eighth street station then arrested Yuengling at the driver's request. Yuengling tried to explain to Magistrate Wahle why he had failed to pay his bill, but the explanation was not satisfactory and Yuengling was held in \$200 bail for further examination.

CATCH WOMAN IN POLICY RAID.

Brooklyn Headquarters Detectives Surprise Players and the Precinct Police. A raid on a policy den in the East New York section in Brooklyn was made vesterday afternoon under direct orders from Fourth Deputy Police Commissioner Wood over the heads of the pre-

cinct police. Special Detective Andrew W. Reardon of Deputy Commissioner Wood's staff and three other detectives, after forcing their way into the two story frame building at 34 Fanchon street, found ample evidence that there was a policy shop there in active operation.

Mrs. Mary Smith, the owner of the building, who had 146 policy slips, 72 of yesterday's drawing and the remainder of the previous day, and \$25 in money in her possession; Albert W. Cooper of 219 Pennsylvania avenue, who had three policy slips and 25 cents, and Alfred C. Eckermann, a motorman on the Brook-lyn elevated road, who had three policy slips and \$25, were arrested.

Instead of being taken to the Liberty avenue station the prisoners were taken downtown and locked up in the Adams street station. They will be arraigned street station. They will be arraigne in the Adams street court this morning.

ICE PLANT SHUTS DOWN.

Owners Say It Is Impossible to Comply With Washington's Anti-Smoke Law. WASHINGTON, Sept. 17 .- Because of the enforcement of the anti-smoke law in old offender who has served several Robinson said that the convention of the Workingmen's State Federation, which is to begin at Rochester next Tuesday, will indorse the political stand of Samuel Gompers. The railroad brotherhoods are not in any way bound by the policy of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor and Gompers, however, and it was said last evening that their delegates will not submit to dictation. All of the local unions in the American Federation of Labor have been asked to send at least a delegate each to the convention, but some of them have no sympathy with the programme of Gompathy. that its managers declare it is impossible

Dentist Marries His Office Girl.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Sept. 17 .- Miss Anna T. Wooden, daughter of Mrs. Eliza Ann Wooden, and Dr. Frank S. Wells, both of England Has Better Docks, but She
Hasn't Get the Beats.

W. H. Pleasants, vice-president of the
Savannah Line, who returned yesterday
from a trip in France England Garman.

> Orster Bar, Sept. 17.—William Pettitt post office, pleaded guilty to-day to a Masked Highwaymen Near Oyster Bay. was held up by two masked men near was held up by two masked men near
> the Bayville bridge last night and his
> watch taken from him. The men attempted to make a further search of his
> clothing, but he managed to break away,
> mount his bloycle and escape. The supply
> station of the Long Island Railroad at
> Mill Neck was broken into last night and
> ransacked, but not much was taken.

BREWER LEMP ACCUSES WIFE.

Are You Opinionated?

SO REDMOND TELLS THE UNITED St. Louis, Sept. 17.-William J. Lemp,

Jr., president of the William J. Lemp Brewing Association, filed a sensational cross bill to-day to the divorce suit of his wife, Lillian, known as the Lavender Lady because of her fondness for dress

He alleges that she frequently staid out late at night in June, July and August, 1903, and refused to explain her absence: that when he remonstrated that her conduct exposed her to criticism she exclaimed: "To hell with the public! at a reception at the Hoffman House last What do I care what they say?" In January, 1905, he charges, he found of the league and their friends greeted

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and when he asked about the man she expressed devoted love for him and great antipathy for her husband; that because of this letter he employed a detective to watch her at Palm Beach, Fla. He charges that she secretly violated an ante-nuptial agreement by having their son, William J. Lemp 3d, baptized a Catholic and denied the saying anybody who said to was a saying anybody who said so was a

lengational Charges Against "Lavender

Lady" in Divorce Cross Bill.

of that hue.

He alleges that when he remonstrated gainst her loud dresses she told him to nind his own business, that she would ress as she pleased:

He admits taking a photograph of his son in an unusual attitude, but with her consent. He also admits carrying a revolver and that he left her on October 18, 1906, telling her he would not live with her again. Both are ready for the opening of the case here next Monday. Lemp seeks their son's custody.

FIRES IN THE ADIRONDACKS. New House of the Kildare Club Damaged

ney, two years ago and the new house had only just been completed. The club is situated in a fine hunting district and the preserve includes over 5,000 acres, with two lakes, Amber and Otter.

Chief Fire Warden Emmons, writing from Tupper Lake, announced that there are many fires along the New York Central Raffroad line from Tupper Lake to St. Regis, and that in the vicinity of the former place fires are starting up anew, one being reported at Cross Clearing. the former place fires are starting up anew, one being reported at Cross Clearing.

A telegram to the State Department to-day also announced that a serious fire

was burning in the woods in sight of Ful-ton Chain station, in Herkimer county This fire has not been definitely located out may be on State lands.

WOMAN FIGHTS A FOOTPAD.

Somebody's Fingernail Marks on a Man Accused of Robbing Her.

Mrs. Laura Naimby, wife of a Penr sylvania Railroad engineer living at Has Been Living Quietly in Massachusetts 3x Gray street, Jersey City, had a lively encounter in Railroad avenue, that ctiv. late yesterday afternoon with a footpad who dropped off the West Shore Railroad trestle as she passed under it and seized her. She fought desperately to break his hold and scratched him in the neck until the blood flowed. As soon as

neck until the blood howed. As soon as the highwayman had torn a gold watch from the front of her dwess he scampered up the embankment and disappeared. Mrs. Naimby went to police head-quarters, exhibited her spoiled waist and told what had happened. She said the robber wore a peak cap and looked like a railroader. Detective Sergeant Feehan started on a hunt and returned fifteer minutes later with Cornelius Brenna. minutes later with Cornelius Brenna; railroad brakeman of 237 Mercer street. whose neck bore the marks of somebody's fingernails. Mrs. Naimby identified him as the man who robbed her. Brennan said he saw two men tackle a woman said he saw two men tackle a woman and he ran away because he did not want to get involved in trouble. Capt. Larkins of the detective bureau

BOY OF 14 A SUICIDE. Hangs Himself in the Cellar of His Home at Mount Vernon.

MOUNT VERNON, Sept. 17 .- Silver Weil, fourteen-year-old school boy, committed suicide to-night by hanging himself with suicide to-night by hanging himself with a clothesline in the cellar of his home at 11 South Tenth avenue. The police say that about five years ago the boy's mother ended her life by drinking carbolic acid.

Young Weil was sent in the cellar to arrange the coal bin for a load of coal that was expected to arrive to-morrow. He appeared to be in good spirits and the last heard of him he was whistling. When he failed to return upstairs his father went into the cellar and found him hanging from a crossbeam.

MAIL DISTRIBUTER CONFESSES Trenton Man Stole a Letter Containing Bond Coupons Worth \$100.

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 17.-Andrew J charge of taking from the mails a letter containing ten coupons of bonds of the city of Paterson valued at \$100. He was held under \$1,500 bail.

Holl is supposed to have opened an account in one of the Trenton banks in the name of Merrit D. Mann, to whose exact the derivated a check of the city of

credit he deposited a check of the city of Paterson.

HOMERULE COMING SUDDENLY

IRISH LEAGUE.

Will Come-Free National University a Great Step, He Says-John Deviln Also Addresses 500 League Members

John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish members of the British Parliament, and John Devlin, also an M. P., were guests of the United Irish League of America night. About five hundred members a letter written by her to an unknown man the pair and there was great enthusiasm

Michael Corbley, chairman of the Municipal Council of the United Irish League of New York, presided. City Magistrate Matthew B. Breen in his address of welcome said that he bolieved the mission of the Irish members in their efforts to win back self-government would not be fruitless. He declared that Redmond stood in the foremost rank of the world's statesmen and "unabated energy, lofty patriotism and stirring eloquence has marked the career

Mr. Redmond took occasion to deny a statement attributed to him that home rule would come in fifteen years. He said it might be only fifteen months and it might be fifty years, but it would come suddenly and without much warning. "The English Labor party is in favor of full home rule," said Mr. Redmond. "The other political parties hold that home

"To suggest that our methods are too tame is to suggest that we are cowards, which we are not," said Mr. Devlin.

Other speakers were John Fitzgibbon. chairman of the Roscommon County Council, who accompanied the members of Parliament to America, and President McGowan of the Board of Aldermen. An illuminated address was presented to Mr. Redmond. Mrs. Redmond and her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Powers, sat on the platform with Mr. Redmond.

J. H. K. EDWARDS ARRESTED.

While Detectives Hunted Him. MALDEN, Sept. 17 .- While police and private detectives throughout the country have been searching for months for J. H. K. Edwards of New York city, wanted for the alleged embezzlement of more than \$5,000 from S. Gould & Co., a Chicago house, of which he is said to have been treasurer, he has been living quietly here, and by merest chance was arrested to-day. He was walking along Main INDICTED AFTER DISCHARGE. street when Policeman Bushnell said: "Hello, Edwards."

Forgetting himself, Edwards answered the salutation and was immediately arrested. He laughed at the slip of the rested. He laughed at the slip of the tongue that gave him into custody. His wife was with him at the time and became hysterical. The couple have four children. The American Surety Company, which bonded him, has had detectives on his trail for some time. Edwards, it seems, was in Hartford for a time before coming here. His wife was known to have been a Malden girl and Bushnell, thinking he recognized her after many years, took a chance and landed her husband.

YOSHIDA PARDONED.

Japanese Who Killed a Man in an Alaska Salmon Cannery Goes Free.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17 .- It was announced at the Department of Justice to-day that since Attorney-General Bonaparte went to Lenox for the summer he had, with the cooperation of the President, disposed of approximately 100 applications for pardon which have been pending for some time in the Department. Many of these were applications for restoration to citizenship. One notable case was that of K. Yoshida, a Japanese, who murdered a foreman in a salmon cannery in Alaska in 1965. He was con-victed and sentenced to serve thirty years victed and sentenced to serve thirty years in the penitentiary.

It was recently represented that Yoshida was about to become insane from homesickness, and the District Attorney and the Judge in whose court Yoshida was tried united in a petition for pardon. The President pardoned Yoshida, the pardon to become effective when the Japanese shall have sailed for his native land.

Joseph Scofield Dead at 99.

STAMFORD, Conn., Sept. 17.-Joseph scofield died last night at his home in New Canaan. He was 99 years 2 months old. He was born in Lewisboro, N. Y., and lived in this region all his life.

FOUND JAPANESE MAT REED. Woman Thinks "Reed That Grows Like a Tree" Has a Great Industrial Future.

OTTAWA, Sept. 17 .- Miss Agres Laut, But He's Not So Certain Just When It in the Northwest has discovere in variety used by the Japanese and chinese in been found as hard as the fibre grown

Scientists of the United States Government have for many years been searching for a ree, like this and the American Government sent a Lumber of scientists to Lapan and thina to study the ree, but all efforts to glow it in the United States have faile: The imports of the matting from thina and Lapan into the United States have faile: The imports of the matting from thina and Lapan into the United States now amount to about \$20,000 annually, so when asked to keep my g es open on this trip for any reed that might answer the jurposes I did so. I felt assired that it would be found in lance of western tanada, and near the Saskatchewan River I saw a field of it seventy miles wide. The plant grows to a great height and is known to the Indians as the ree, which grows like a tree."

Experiments will be made with the reed to see if it can be utilized for the same purposes as the Japanese and Chinese growths.

EFFECT OF HARD TIMES. It Will Decrease the Number of Freshmen

at Cornell the Present Year. ITHACA, Sept. 17 .- The effect of hard times on the enrolment of Cornell University was strikingly demonstrated today, when Secretary Kelsey of the Cornell University Christian Association said he was compelled to advise a number of was compelled to advise a number of prospective freshmen to keep away from college for a year because the employment bureau of the association was unable to get enough work for them to pay all their expenses. One man who came to Ithaca was sent back home to-day after he learned that the Christian Association could not construct him a

ciation could not guarantee him a place which would pay enough to cover all his expenses, and others have teen notified by mail not to come.

Secretary Kelsey says that the number of applicants who ask for work is surprisingly large, over 400 letters having reached the office so far. A new feature this year the office so far. A new feature this year is the number of old students who are asking the association to help them. This is the first time since the employment bureau was established that so

pany, who loved her much. The firemen pany, who loved her much. The firemen knew that she was sick, but they did not realize how ill she was. The dog's body was discovered by Fireman Timothy O'Leary when he was on watch. Pinky will be missed by the jurists of the Criminal Courts Building, as she always had a welcome bark for them in the afternoon as they passed the firehouse on their way home.

More than once the dog had warned by her barking District Attorney Jerome, Judge Battery Dan Finn, Justice Goff and others that there was danger ahead when the engines were responding to

when the engines were responding to a fire alarm. Lieut. Sullivan owned the dog. Pinky came into the world about seven summers ago and ever since had made her home in the quarters of Engine 31. The pet's name came from one of the firemen's benevolent associa-

Grand Jury Looks Into a Case Dismissed by Magistrate.

Max Friedman, a member of Kuerll & Co., furriers at 39 East Ninth street, was indicted yesterday for receiving stolen goods. He was arrested on August 1 charged with having in his possession \$3,500 worth of furs which had been stolen from Louis Alrest of 112 University place.
Magistrate Wahle discharged him and ordered that the furs be returned to Alpert.
This decision wasn't satisfactory to Alpert and his lawyer and they any caled to District Attorney Jerome. Friedman

MURDERED BY A BURGLAR. Householder Killed by Man Who Was Scarching a Dresser.

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Sept. 17.-Edward Quick, an officer at the State prison, was murdered in his home at 8 o'clock this morning by a burglar. Mrs. Quick was awakened by a noise and saw a form in the darkness hovering over a dresser.

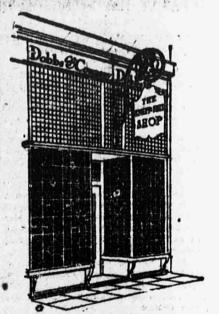
She nudged her husband and awoke him. The burglar turned and commanded Quick to lie still, but Quick raised himself on his elbow and the burglar fired. The bullet struck Quick in the head and he died at 6 o'clock this morning. No trace of the murderer has been found.

Congressman Heffin to Be Tried in December.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.-It was an-

nounced to-day that the trial of Repre-

sentative J. Thomas Hefin of Alabams on an indictment charging him with assault to kill will take place immediately assault to kill will take place immediately after Congress convenes in December. It is chagred in the indictment that the Congressman on March 27 last, after an altercation on a Washington street car, fire is pistol at a negro to whose conduct on the car Mr. Heflin had taken exception. The negro was wounded and another bullet accidentally wounded a horse trainer name! McCreery, who was stand-Y., Both mea recovered from their injuries.



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Springfield, Sept. 17.—A verdict of murder with a sentence of death by hanging was rendered to-night by the jury in the Sangamon Circuit Court in the case of Joe James, the negro who stabbed Clergy A. Bellard, a conductor on the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis Railroad, to death on the night of July 4.

many old students have applied. Last to death on the night of July 4. James took the verdict of the jury unconcernedly. There was no demonstration in court.

BEATH OF A TIREMEN'S PET

Pinky Had Lived Seven Years With Engine Company 31.

Pinky, the spotted Dalmatian coach dog, pet of the members of Engine Company 31 in Lafayette street, died suddenly yesterday morning and her death caused sorrow among the men of the company, who loved her much. The firemen

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